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MATERIAL SHORTAGE AFFECTS PAVING PROJECT ON SR-330

San Bernardino County – Caltrans is alerting the public that due to a material shortage the paving project on State Route 330 is suspended until Monday, September 26, 2005. No work will take place on SR-330 after tonight, Wednesday September 21st, until the paving resumes on Monday morning. Full closures will again take place Monday through Thursday from 8:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. and on Fridays from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. until the completion of the project. The project is expected to be complete by mid-October 2005, however work may be delayed by inclement weather.

Many in the construction industry are experiencing similar material shortages and Caltrans has noticed it's affect on our projects. Newly appointed District 8 Director, Mike Perovich says, "We are carefully monitoring the impact on our projects including any cost and schedule issues."

<u>During the closures motorists are advised to use SR-18 or SR-38 as an alternate route.</u> For more information on mountain roadwork, please go to our website at www.dot.ca.gov/dist8 and go to "Press Releases". You may also call our Public Affairs office at (909) 383-4631.

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